

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA**

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Status of Hydel Power Projects
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of hydel power projects pending for clearance with the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change along with the capacity of each of the said projects;
- (b) the steps being taken by his Ministry for quick clearance of the said projects;
- (c) whether there is any institution in the country offering a course in hydel engineering; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR POWER,
COAL AND NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) & (b) : As per records available in the Ministry of Power (MOP), the details of power projects awaiting clearance from Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change (MoEF&CC), are given in Annexure.

In order to expedite clearances, review meetings are held at various levels, including at the Minister level, with MoEF&CC. Project specific issues are regularly pursued with MoEF & CC, respective State Government(s) and concerned Developers for early clearances of the Projects in order to expedite clearances.

(c) & (d) : Hydro Power Training Centre of National Power Training Institute (NPTI) at Nangal, conducts following two full time courses in Hydro Power Plant Engineering to enhance the employability of Graduate Engineers and Diploma Holders:

(i) Post Graduate Diploma Course (PGDC) in Hydro Power Plant Engineering. The duration of the course is 39 weeks.

(ii) Post Diploma Course (Hydro). The duration of the course is 26 weeks.
